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Title: INJECTABLE AQUEOUS DISPERSIONS OF PROTEIN

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**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

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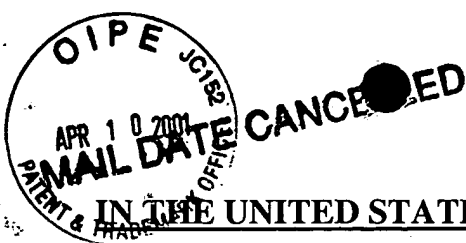
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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In order to place the above-identified application in better condition for examination, please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Cancel claims 13-30.

Add the following new claims:

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